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SUBJ: GOT RESTRICTIONS ON U.S. MILITARY ACTIVITIES, SITUATION

REPORT AS OF 1700 HOURS LOCAL AUGUST 4

REF: ANKARA 5988

1. SUMMARY. NO SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS HAVE BEEN

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REPORTED BY INSTALLATIONS UNDER TURKISH COMMAND SINCE

LAST SITREP (REFTEL). TURKISH GENERAL OFFICERS HAVE SCHEDULED INSPECTION OF THESE INSTALLATIONS BEGINNING TOMORROW (AUGUST 5). ANKARA AIRPORT MANAGER HAS ADVISED US THAT HE HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO COLLECT LANDING AND PARKING FEES FROM U.S. MILITARY AIRCRAFT. CUSTOMS PROBLEMS REMAIN A SERIOUS IRRITANT IN MANY AREAS, PENDING DELAYED ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW GOT PROCEDURES. END SUMMARY.

2. TGS HAS INFORMED JUSMMAT THAT TURKISH INSPECTION TEAM HEADED BY THREE MAJOR GENERALS WILL VISIT TWELVE INSTALLATIONS NOW UNDER TURKISH COMMANDERS AUGUST 5-9 FOR PURPOSE OF CONTROLLING IMPLEMENTATION OF ORDERS. TURKISH BASE COMMANDERS WILL CONDUCT TEAM ON INSPECTIONS, BUT JUSMMAT HAS INSTRUCTED U.S. COMMANDERS TO COOPERATE FULLY AND TO TRY TO BE INCLUDED IN INSPECTION PARTIES WITH THEIR INTERPRETERS IF POSSIBLE.

3. ESENBOGA (ANKARA) AIRPORT MANAGER ORALLY INFORMED TUSLOG THAT HE HAD RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS TO COLLECT LANDING AND PARKING FEES FOR U.S. MILITARY AIRCRAFT. MANAGER STATED THAT A TUSLOG LETTER GUARANTEEING PAYMENT WOULD PERMIT HIM TO BILL TUSLOG MONTHLY; OTHERWISE, FEE WOULD BE COLLECTED FROM EACH AIRCRAFT. NO INTERNAL FLIGHTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR ESENBOGA UNTIL AUGUST 6, WHEN MEDEVAC AIRCRAFT IS DUE, BUT DEPUTY CINCEUR, GENERAL EADE, WILL ARRIVE BY MILITARY AIRCRAFT AFTERNOON OF AUGUST 5. WE ARE AWAITING WASHINGTON INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW LANDING AND PARKING FEE ISSUE MIGHT BE HANDLED.

4. AS RESULT OF JUSMMAT DIRECTIVE TO U.S. COMMANDERS AT COMMUNICATIONS SITES TO HAVE TURKISH REQUESTS FOR COMMUNICATIONS CIRCUITS REFERRED TO TGS, TURKISH COMMANDER AT ELMADAG HAS REMOVED PRESSURE FOR U.S. CIRCUITS. AT SINOP THE TURKISH BASE COMMANDER SAID HE WOULD CONDUCT DAILY INSPECTIONS OF THE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER. HIS FIRST INSPECTION AUGUST 4 LASTED ONE MINUTE.

5. THERE HAVE BEEN NO CHANGES IN PORT SITUATION.
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CUSTOMS OFFICIAL AT ISTANBUL AIRPORT PREVENTED DELIVERY OF PARCELS ADDRESSED TO JUSMMAT SURVEY UNIT, CLAIMING "JUSMMAT NO LONGER EXISTS." A TURKISH NAVY LTJG INSPECTED AND NOTED CONTENTS OF FOUR BAGS OF OFFICIAL MAIL (PACKAGES) ARRIVING AT YALOVA AIRSTRIP SERVING KARAMURSEL, EXPLAINING THAT SUCH INSPECTIONS WOULD BE ROUTINE. NO HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS ARE YET BEING PROCESSED THROUGH CUSTOMS, CAUSING GROWING PROBLEMS FOR PERSONNEL DUE

TO LEAVE TURKEY. MFA OFFICIALS TOLD DCM THAT
FEW MORE DAYS NEEDED TO WORK OUT CUSTOMS AND OTHER PROCEDURES
WHICH MFA EARLIER THOUGHT WOULD BE AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING
OF THIS WEEK. DIRECTOR GENERAL OF INTERNATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS
AMBASSADOR YAVUZALP'S COMMENTS ON CUSTOMS, APO AND
OTHER MATTERS REPORTED SEPTTEL.
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